

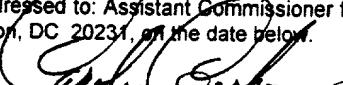
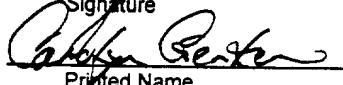
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:
Tongbi Jiang and Zhiqiang Wu

For: NOVEL ZERO INSERTION FORCE
SOCKETS USING NEGATIVE
THERMAL EXPANSION MATERIALS

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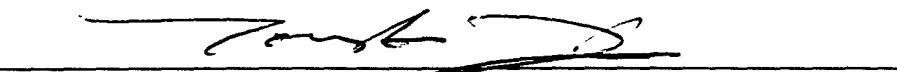
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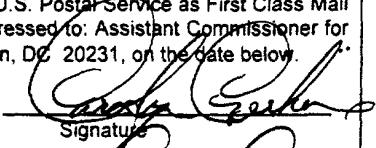
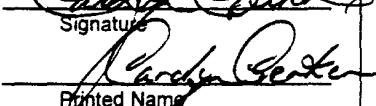
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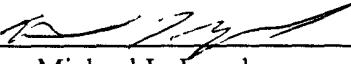
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